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## Via ECF

Honorable Lorna G. Schofield, U.S.D.J. United States District Court, Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

> Re: LOADHOLT v. THE QUICKZIP SHEET COMPANY, INC.

> > 1:22-cv-07310-LGS

Letter Motion for Defendant's Extension of Time to Respond to Plaintiff's Amended Complaint

Dear Judge Schofield:

Defendant The QuickZip Sheet Company, Inc. ("Defendant" or "QuickZip"), through counsel, pursuant to Rule I.B.2. of Your Honor's Individual Rules and Procedures for Civil Cases, respectfully submits this request for a two-week extension of time, from November 23, 2022 until December 7, 2022 to answer Plaintiff's Amended Complaint filed on November 9, 2022 in this matter (Dkt No. 21).

The parties have been engaged in intensive and productive settlement negotiations, and are hopeful that a brief extension of the deadline will help the parties reach a negotiated resolution of this dispute that would obviate the need for a responsive pleading and continued progression through the discovery process.

This is Defendant's second request for an extension of time to answer a pleading, and the first request for an extension of this particular pleading deadline, and it is made with the consent of Plaintiff's counsel. We thank Your Honor for the attention to and consideration of this request.

> Respectfully, /s/ Kevin Doherty Kevin Doherty, Esq.

cc: All counsel of record via ECF

Application GRANTED. Defendant shall answer, move or otherwise respond to the Amended Complaint by **December 7, 2022**.

Dated: November 21, 2022 New York, New York

United States District Judge

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